

*Operation Covert – 19*

*The world needs you (T & Cs Apply)\**

*\*(T & Cs) – Proceeding to open this document gives assumed consent that you are prepared to participate in the vigurous and grueling recruitement process that will see only one individual be assigned to Operation Covert – 19.*

*Hello? yes… if you are reading this then you have been selected to participate in a once in a life time opportunity. In the midst of the recent outbreak of the so feared Covert – 19, our national security is looking to find young, bright minds who have the intellect, wit and skill to participate in fighting this pandemic. Over the next 3 weeks, you will be required to complete multiple activities, that will test everything you know, in order to be inducted into the task team that will go on to lead the rebellion. It must be said that there are 15 other operatives competing for the same single position. Only one of you can be destined for glory.*

*Below is everything you need to know to be on your way. And do remember, one cannot be to careful during these times. Best you conduct your tests at home and send evidence to our head office via photographs or videos. You can either email (*[*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*](mailto:operationcovert19@gmail.com)*) or whatsapp (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)*

*The hope of the world rests in your hands.*

*Sir Reginald Kenneth Dwight*

**Hi there, my name is Arthur and I will be assisting you in the activities Sir RKD has assigned to you. You’ll be happy to know that he is very flexible in the skills he and the academy expects you to be able to demonstrate. Instead of getting you to complete task after task after task, they have compiled a list of 100 tasks to be completed. Don’t worry if you can’t complete all 100 items - however you must always be prepared to try your best. Only one of you will make the Operation Covert – 19 task team. This will be decided on who scores the most points. Oh yes, before I forget, each one of the 100 items are weighted a score between 5 and 100. YES 100!!! CRAZY RIGHT. I thought these old men were crazy as well but clearly, they want you to pay special attention to those tasks that are worth 100 POINTS!**

**Excuse me eating chicken in front of you, so rude of me, but with everything going on and having to be at home all day, well it makes me feel happy. I’m just so tired of washing my paws 10 times a day but I know that if I want to stay safe, then that is what I need to do!**

**Don’t hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. Sir RKD gave you my contact details in his briefing earlier so you can find me there.**

**Best of luck! I know that you’ll be great and do amazing things. Don’t forget, I’m here to help you!**

**Howsit, so yeahhhh Covert - 19 hey. Mad times. If I can give you any advice, don’t panic. I know common sense ain’t very common in today’s society but, you know, keep it simple. Wash your paws, don’t touch stuffff, don’t touch your face especially after you’ve touched stuffff. Anyway, I’m Duzzler the Doggo, but you can call me Duz and yeah, I’ll be around to remind you from time to time about the do’s and don’ts of Covert - 19. That and some random jokes, maybe some tips, who knows. Let’s see how I feel.   
So… I made you a pretty sick calendar below that you can use to help track how many days you have got left before the Academy decides if you’re the one. No pressure. Keep it real kiddo.**

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| Saturday | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
| 21 | **22** | **23** | **24** | **25** | **26** | **27** |
| 28 | **29** | **1 April**  **Ha lol**  **Get it?** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **5** |
| 6 | **7** | **8** | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12**  **It’s a good Friday** |

**Just make a cross through the days, or stamp them, or whatever.**

**Before we get going, just one last reminder. Remember to take photos and videos of everything you do and to send them to our email or whatsapp. Without that proof, you can’t get the points! If the task requires you to type something up, do it in Word and attach it in an Email!   
Most importantly, all activities must be done by yourself, unless the task requires you do something with someone else. If that is the case, it must be with someone you live with like your siblings, or your mom and dad. You’ll also see that I give you links to check out to help you out, they are very useful! Got me? Guuuccci. Let’s get to it! Oh and remember to read till the last page before you start with the Tasks 1!**

Task 1) This operation will require you to spend many nights undercover in random locations. We need to know that you have what it takes:

*Build a survival sleeping area in your back garden out of recyclable materials or your surrounding nature. Sleep in it for 1 night.*

* *(30 points)*

\*Task 2) Sometimes we need to give back to those who give us so much and show them how much we care.

*Prepare a meal for your family by yourself.*

* *(25 points)*

Task 3) You will find that there will be times that you may need to execute emergency water rescues while on your operations.

*Draw a picture (or write a step by step) of the method to executing the reach, throw, row, go technique in life saving. Your depiction should indicate you have a practical knowledge of the technique.*

* *(30 points)*
* <https://www.boat-ed.com/pennsylvania/studyGuide/Reach-Throw-Row-or-Go-Step-by-Step/101039_101039187/>

\*Task 4) You’ve worked hard so far!

*Treat yourself to a nice relaxing movie! Bonus points if there is popcorn!*

* *(10 points) + 2 if popcorn*

Task 5) We have a strict code that we expect you to live by.

*Find the 10 words used in the Scout Law Rhyme*

* *(100 points)*

B N G N S J L O Y A L C T Y A

W R G N Q Q E E V J E O S U A

V D O O I C Z C X S J U G Q Z

F B G T F L T Y J V E R K D D

Q X F S H W I K I Y T T R P G

T U G N M E D M S T X E H D T

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F N O J J J X C T F E S K I U

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K U K A W J B I J X T J X F B

Task 6) That last one was a tough one hey! Don’t worry, It gets easier! But first, FIRE!

 *Write 100 words about why fires are dangerous. Draw pictures of how to put out different kinds of fires (electrical, wood, oil). Clearly indicate what you would use to put them out.*

*- (35 points)*

*-* <https://www.servicemastersanfrancisco.com/types-of-fires-how-to-extinguish/>

Task 7) In the field you may find yourself in need of assistance with no way of getting it. WHAT DO YOU DO!

*Make a A4 poster of the Visual and Audio signals you can use to draw attention to yourself when you have no other way to get help.*

* *(35 points)*
* <https://scoutwiki.scouts.org.za/index.php?title=Distress_signals>

Task 8) All that work would make me hungry. Aren’t you?

*Make yourself a meal outside using only fire as a source of heating.*

* *(40 points)*

Task 9) These operations will require you to participate in many kilometres of hiking. It’s best you know how to pack your bag properly.

*Make a A3 poster with your hiking bag in the middle and all the things you’d pack in it for an overnight hike around it. Indicate on the poster where you would pack what items and why.*

* *(60 points)*

Task 10) Also, we’re going to need you to stay clean.

*Make a video explaining what you need to do to stay hygienic on a camp.*

* *(25 points)*

Task 11) Comeraderie is a very important when it comes to operating within task teams.

*Draw a picture of your patrol animal and write 100 words about it. These could be random facts or a random story regarding your animal. Just make sure to show knowledge of the name of the animal.*

* *(20 points)*

Task 12) The academy is very passionate about history. They find a man known to many as BP, quite fascinating. You should go find out more about him.

*Answer the following questions in a word document and send it in.*

* + *1) Who is the founder of Scouting?*
  + *2) Where and when was the founder born?*
  + *3) Where did this man study?*
  + *4) Name one of his hobbies?*
  + *5) What nickname did he receive while in Africa?*
  + *6) What does this nickname mean?*
  + *7) Which siege was this man a part of?*
  + *8) When did the founder start scouting?*
  + *9) When did the founder die?*
  + *10) Where did the founder die?*
* *(8 points per correct answer)*

Task 13) While in the field, understanding direction will be vital. We need to know that you can recall the environment you’re in.

*Draw a map of an area of 1km2 around your home (use Google Earth to help you so you can stay at home). Mark 5 important points on this map, preferably places you visit often. The more detailed, the better.*

* *(25 points)*

Task 14) North! DO YOU KNOW NORTH?

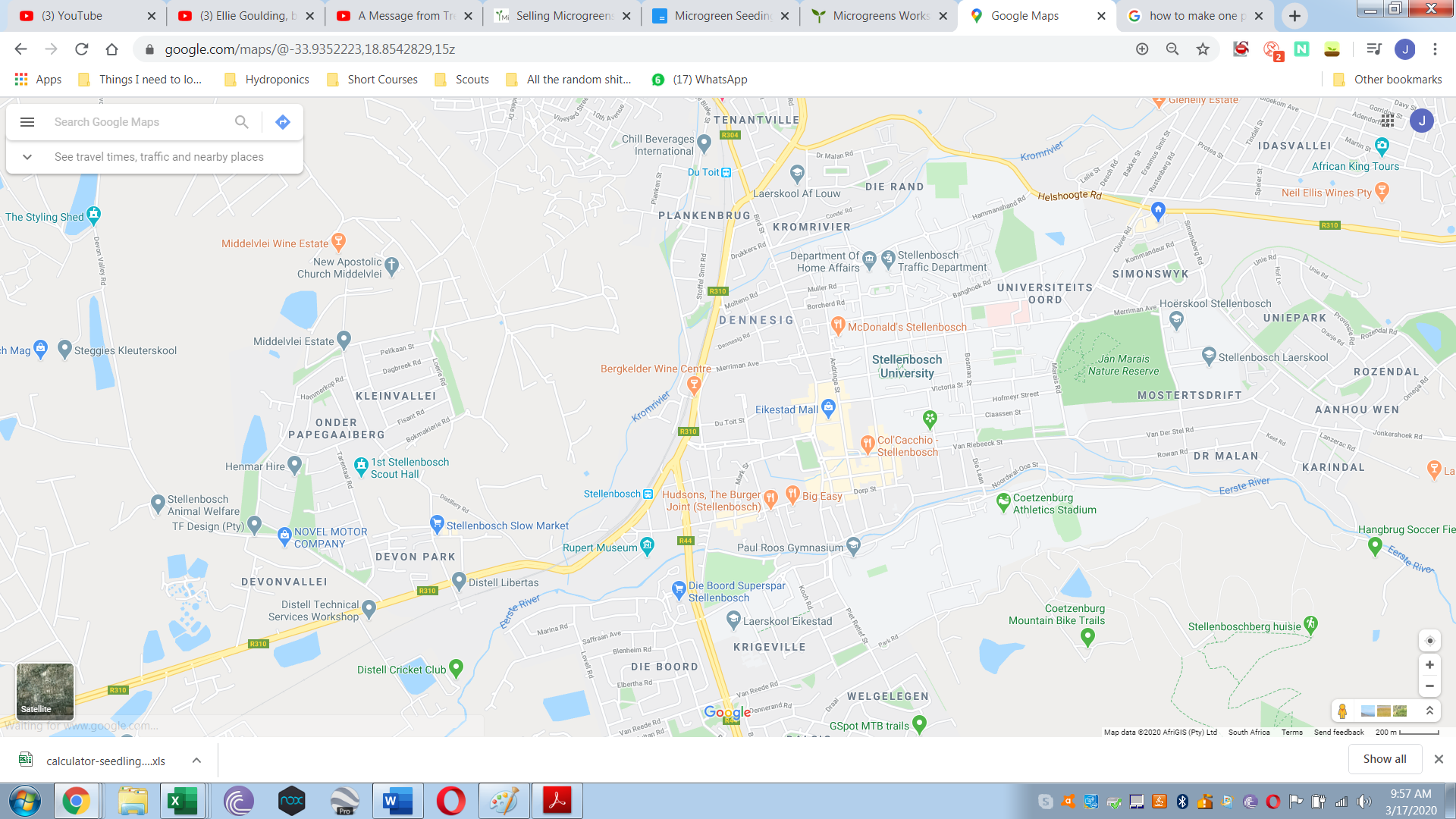
*Make a video explaining the difference between true north and magnetic north. Draw a map (of anything you want) with both norths indicated and then, with a compass, explain how you’d orientate that map accordingly.*

* *(30 points)*

Task 15) Reading a map is a vital skill to be able to orientate yourself. Sometimes you’ll need to use it to find your way!

*You need to go shopping for food at the Simonsrust Spar for the patrol camp you are leaving for this afternoon. Draw on the map below a route from the 1st Stellenbosch Scout Hall to the Spar on the corner of Cluver Rd and Helshoogte Rd. There are roadblocks on a portion of the R310 (as indicated) so avoid routes on this path!*

* *(30 points)*



\*Task 16) You know a compass right?

*Draw a 16-point compass rose*

* *(15 points)*

\*\*Assignment 1) International diplomacy is an important tool for making us more aware of our environments and those around us. This is something all our operatives must be able to do. The following tasks will gauge how prepared you are for the world.

*Task 17) Create an A4 poster explaining what child marriage is, where it is still occurring and why it is important that girls are given rights to not be married at a young age.*

* *50 points*

*Task 18) Create an A3 poster that discusses violence and harassment, why it is bad and how we as human beings can combat it. In your poster include drawings, photos, educational cartoons, statistics etc. Make it your own and make it insightful. Ask your parents for help if necessary!*

* *75 points*

*Task 19) Gender stereotypes are part of our everyday life, Research what they are and identify which ones are the most prominent in our day to day society. Have a conversation with your parents about what other stereotypes exist and how we can combat them. Write these stereotypes out on a page.*

*Once your research is completed, record a skit of you (and you may include your family) participating in tasks typically associated with the opposite gender.*

* *75 points*

**Bonus 50 points if you complete Tasks 16, 17 and 18.**

Task 20) Take a break, you’ve got a long way to go.

*Go read a book! Actually, go read many books!*

* *(25 points per book – max 4)*

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**Yo kids, Duz here. Just a reminder that you should avoid touching your face, nose and eyes. Covert - 19 is a sneaky bugger, it will stick to your hands and sneak into you when you least expect it. That and be nice to your parents and siblings. We’re all trying our best to adjust to this new lifestyle!**

Task 21) The way of nature is important to understand.

*Make an A4 poster of the outdoor code, what it is and why the different points are important.*

* *(15 points)*

\*\*Assignment 2) Talking about nature, it is where you will be spending most of your time in operation, so we need to make sure you understand the following things:

*Task 22) Make an A4 poster of the water cycle and define the following words: Precipitation, Run Off, Groundwater, Water table, evaporation, transpiration.*

* *(25 points)*

*Task 23) List different ways to conserve water*

* *(10 points)*

*Task 24) Do some research and then write up a page about what causes the following pollutions and what we can do to control them: Water, Air, Noise, Soil and Waste.*

* *(30 points)*

*Task 25) Understanding your environment will help your situation. Build a bird feeder out of recyclable materials and show active use of it. Take notes on what birds you observe eating from your bird feeder.*

* *(40 points)*

*Task 26) Recycling, that is a big deal to the academy. Research the need for it and develop a system to start recycling in your own home with your family. Show photos of the process as it evolves.*

* *(35 points)*

*\*Task 27) While you’re at it, make an eco-brick with all those things you can’t recycle.*

* *(15 points)*

*Task 28) Make yourself a solar energy oven (in case you need to cook food while on operation and there is no fuel to burn) with recyclable materials and tin foil. Practice cooking with it in your back garden.*

* *(45 points)*
* <https://scoutwiki.scouts.org.za/index.php?title=Solar_energy>

**Bonus 50 points if you complete Tasks 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28**

\*Task 29) Discipline is a quality we regard highly at the academy. We need to see that you can keep routine.

*Draw a schedule lasting a week that will help you keep to a routine. Indicate what time you will wake up and go to bed (remember to get enough sleep), when you will do schoolwork (remember to take breaks so you can focus!), when you will chill and spend time with family, when you will work on the tasks the academy has set for you and anything else you can think you will need time for while keeping at home. Follow this routine closely for at least one week.*

* *(100 points)*

**Task 30) Always be prepared, rather be safe than sorry. The academy has allocated you a file known as your ‘Scout file’ (*Solid control of your thoughts)* that should be used to keep important documents that could be useful later.

*Fill your scout file with interesting documents that you may find to useful while out in the field.*

* *(15 points)*

Task 31) Your ability to organize activities is a skill we take particular interest in.

*Plan (to potentially execute) a patrol activity for your patrol. Include a timeline, catering arrangements, activities, lift arrangements as well as all costs.*

* *(75 points)*

Task 32) Team spirit and an effective team system is something that is taken very seriously as it assists in executing activities effectively.

*Read ‘THE PATROL SYSTEM’ – The Boy Scout Series No.2 and create a poster explaining the Patrol system, why it is important, how you can promote it and what makes a successful patrol.*

* *(90 points)*
* <http://www.thedump.scoutscan.com/patrolsystem.pdf>

Task 33) Teams should also contribute to making the world better.

*Research some ideas for a Patrol Good turn (community service) and prepare a day planner for an activity for your patrol.*

* *(40 points)*

**Pheeeewwwwww! We’ve done a lot hey. 33 down and 67 to go. For the record, if you’re done all 33 activities above, you’ll have 1425 points plus another 102 in bonuses!! That’s 1527 points!! Still many more points to get. I really want to tell you what glory awaits the operative who scores the most, but the academy won’t tell me. It is rather irritating but let’s keep going! There are many more fun things to learn and do.**

\*\*Assignment 3) We all know knots are very important!

*There are some vital knots that you will need to know in order to be able to execute some of the operations against Covert - 19.* <https://www.animatedknots.com/scouting-knots> *has everything you need to be taught how to do them. Just remember to record yourself doing each one successfully.*

*Task 34) Tie a Bowline*

* *(10 points)*

*Task 35) Tie a Fisherman’s Knot*

* *(20 points)*

*Task 36) Tie a Rolling Hitch*

* *(15 points)*

*Task 37) Tie a Sheet Bend*

* *(10 points)*

*Task 38) Tie a Timber Hitch*

* *(15 points)*

*Task 39) Tie a Running Bowline*

* *(20 points)*

**Bonus 35 points if you can tie all 12 knots**

*Task 40) Tie a Round turn and 2 Half Hitches*

* *(15 points)*

*Task 41) Tie a Bowline-on-a-bight*

* *(20 points)*

*Task 42) Tie a Taut-line hitch*

* *(20 points)*

*Task 43) Tie a Figure-of-eight knot*

* *(5 points)*

*Task 44) Tie a Manharness Hitch*

* *(5 points)*

*Task 45) Tie a Marlinspike Hitch*

* *(10 points)*

Task 46) As mentioned earlier, the conservation of land is something we must fight for against Covert - 19.

*Explain the following 11 terms in respect to conservation.*

*1) Ecology*

*2) Food chain*

*3) Biocides*

*4) Recycling*

*5) Conservation*

*6) Balance of Nature*

*7) Life Cycle*

*8) Photosynthesis*

*9) Organic and Inorganic material*

*10) Humus*

*11) Carrying capacity*

* *(55 points)*

Task 47) We need to make a concerted effort to make sure no species go extinct.

*Create an interesting slideshow of why we, as humans, cannot allow animals and plant species to go extinct.*

* *(45 points)*

Task 48) Ecological interrelationship?

*Show how humans, animals, vegetation and other sources are dependent of one another to survive in a A4 diagram.*

* *(50 points)*

**Sorry to bother kids, Duz again. Did you know that Covert - 19 originated from bats and was passed on to another animal, widely speculated to be the pangolin, that was then in contact with humans in a market in China? Heccccttic hey. Sooo don’t eat anything that is out of the ordinary and try make sure it is cooked properly so anything that could potentially harm you is killed off.**

**Another thing… Don’t panic guys. I know everything may seem a little crazy at the moment but the crazy will eventually pass and either we’ll all adjust to this new life or things will go back to normal. Remember those laws the scouts have? I’m thinking of the one about smiling and whistling under all difficulties. Maybe you can write a little whistle song to cheer you up when everything is feeling a tad too much. Stay safe kiddos!**

Task 49) The rise of Covert - 19 has cased mass hysteria resulting in many people changing their behaviours. These changes could have a domino effect, causing catastrophic damage to multiple different elements of the natural world.

*Make a poster explaining the following: (include why it is bad and how we can reduce it)*

*1) The effect bush / forest fires have on wildlife.*

*2) Soil Erosion*

*3) Water pollution*

*5) Insecticide use for farming*

* *(40 points)*

Task 50) Despite the drought in our region, most of the world experiences flooding. You may be assigned to a location that may experience just that.

*Write a 200-word paragraph explaining what causes flooding and explain ways to control it.*

* *(20 points)*

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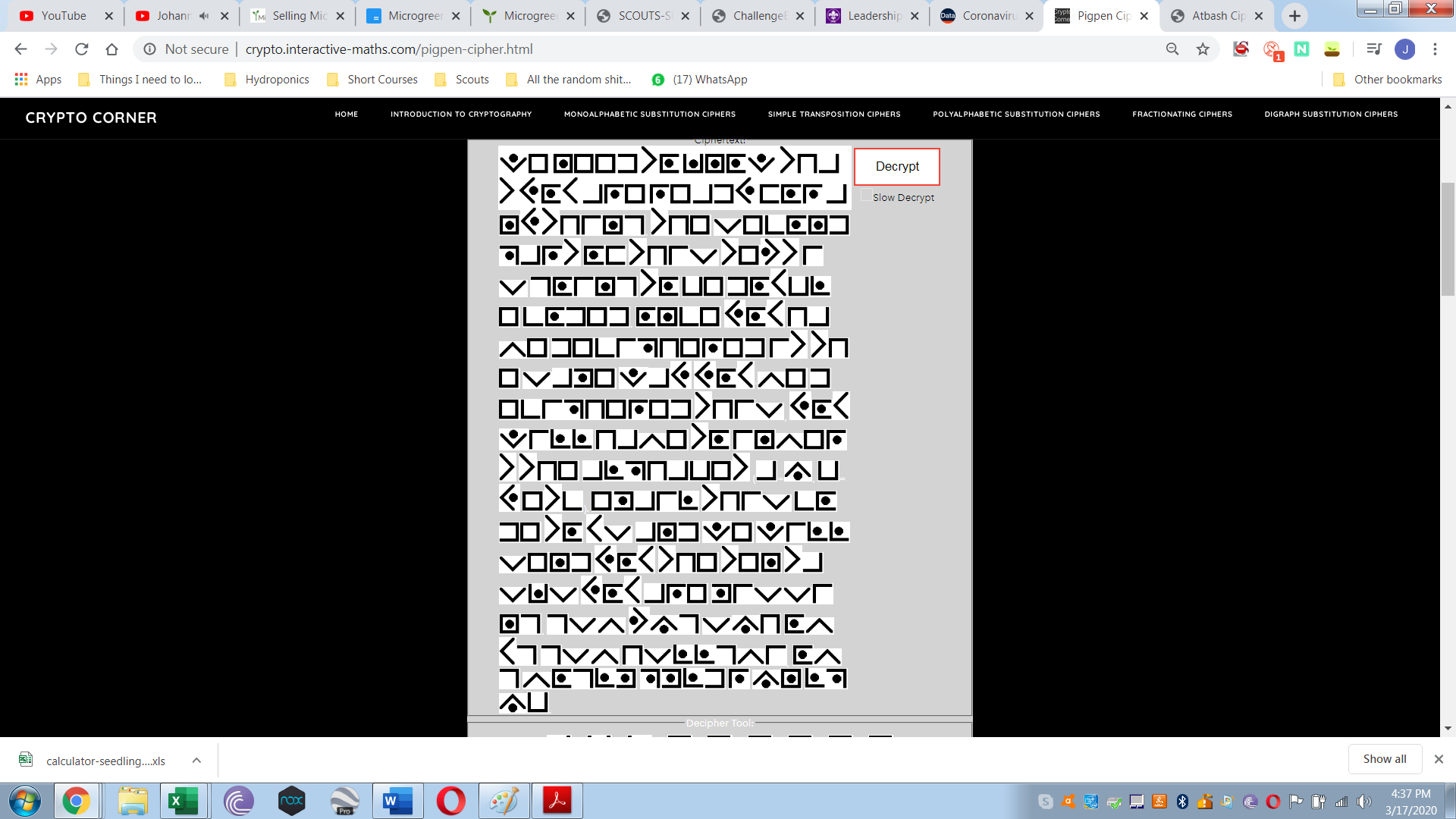
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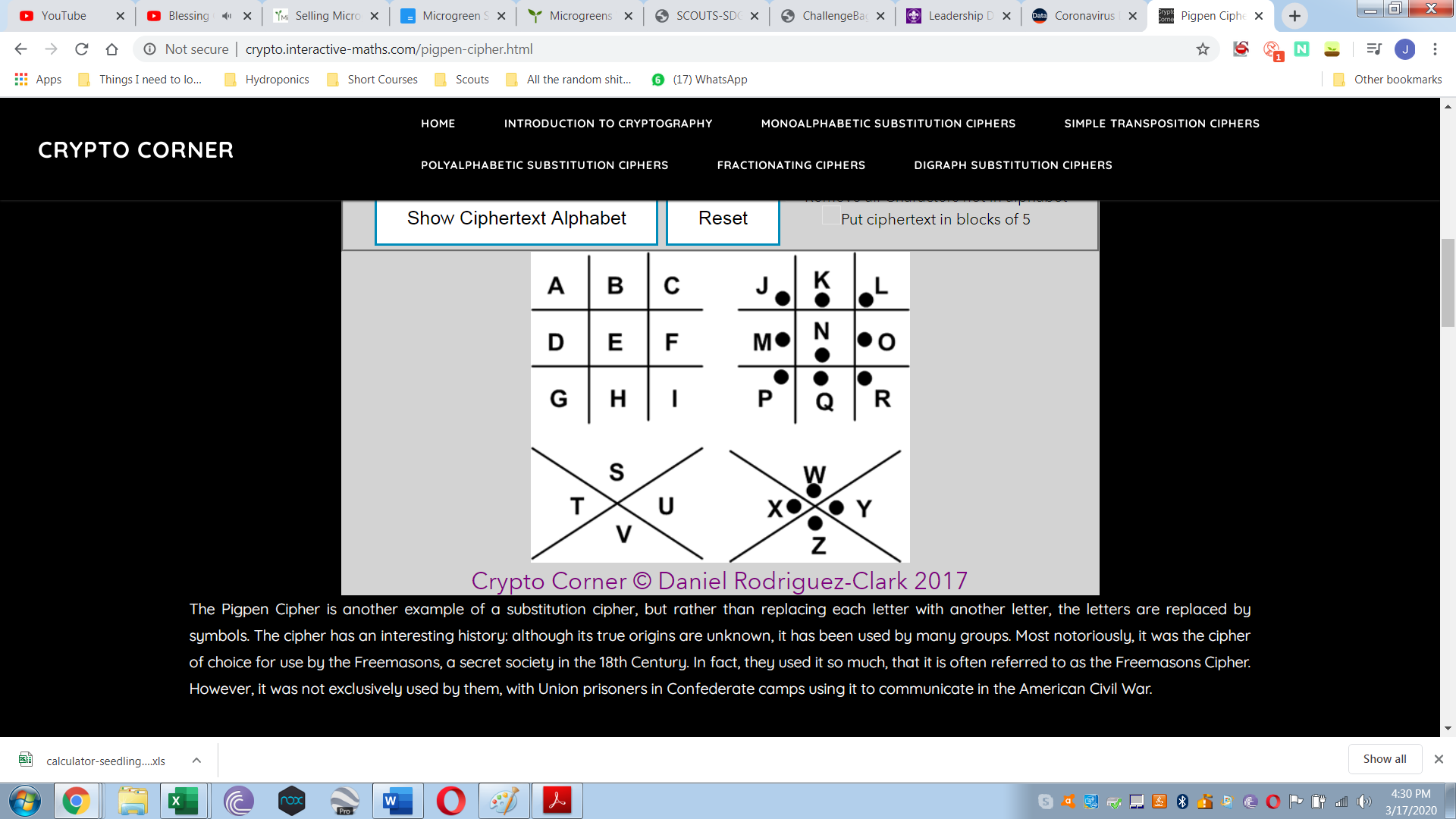
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**WHAT IS GOING ON!!!!! NOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOO!!!!**

**It seems like … we’ve been kidnapped … and now we’re in the middle of nowhere. This is probably the academy trying to prepare its potential operatives for anything. Wait, there is a note.**





**This is all very strange, we should be on our way…**

Task 61) 61??? But what? Why... ohhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhh. Do you really know how much the meat industry impacts the planet?

*Research the effects the meat industry has on the planet. Place particular focus on carbon footprint. Create a slideshow presenting your findings.*

* *(40 points)*

Task 62) There is an amazing cycle in life. It involves us burying our organic waste and then the ground turns it into compost which we can then use to help grow more plants to eat later. Fascinating isn’t it!

*Make a compost box that you use for your organic waste.*

* *(35 points)*
* <https://www.younghouselove.com/younghouselovedotcompost/> / <https://www.diyncrafts.com/33618/home/gardening/35-cheap-easy-diy-compost-bins-can-build-weekend> (use what you have at home, don’t buy things unless you have nothing)

\*\*Assignment 4) Covert - 19 may keep us confined to our homes for a long time! Whilst brave individuals continue to fight the outbreak, the rest of us need to start doing things in case the shops run out of food.

*Task 63) Research how to build a food garden and organise with your parents to allocate a small portion of their garden to start one. If you do not have the space to make a food garden, research the benefits of microgreens/ microherbs and plan how you would be able to grow these in your homes.*

* *(20 points)*

*Task 64) Build a vegetable garden using the appropriate tools (rake, spade and watering can)*

* *(60 points)*

*Task 65) Research how to prepare soil (including mulching) and proceed to prepare soil for your vegetable garden.*

* *(30 points)*

*Task 66) Research how to grow a plant from a seeding. Proceed to start the germination process to eventually plant the seedling in your vegetable garden (do not rush this process as it may take longer than 3 weeks)*

* *(30 points)*

*Task 67) Make a poster on how to save water and how to use grey water sparingly in your vegetable garden.*

* *(60 points)*

*Task 68) Procure one fruit or vegetable to plant in your vegetable garden with the intention to care for it until it is ready for harvest. Do a write up on this fruit or vegetable as to its nutritional value and speak about the importance of the nutrition in fruits and vegetables.*

* *(50 points)*

**Bonus 50 points if you complete Tasks 63, 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68.**

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**You’ve been amazing so far! Thank you for all your hard work, it is going to get me great reviews at the academy!**

**Just so you are aware, we’ve covered 68 tasks now with a total of 2612 points available to be awarded (nudge nudge, wink wink). The last 32 tasks will make another 1388 points available! It’s the last great push.**

Task 69) Considering how much time you will be spending at home; I reckon it is important that you identify where things could go wrong.

*Draw a map of your property. On the map indicate all potential places where fires could start. Also note any other safety checklist related items that are important to keeping safe around your home.*

* *(45 points)*

Task 70) Considering that most of your operations will be spent in campsites, we should get you ready for camp life.

*Draw your idea of a well laid out campsite and explain your reason for layout. The camp site should have:*

*1) 2x tents*

*2) A gateway*

*3) Table / dining table*

*4) Kitchen Area*

*5) Fireplace*

*6) Washing line*

*- (55 points)*

*-* <https://scoutwiki.scouts.org.za/index.php?title=Camping>

Task 71) And you’ll need to get food.

*Design a menu for a 3-day patrol camp. It should accommodate for 6 patrol members, 1 of whom is gluten intolerant and another is a vegetarian. There will be 3 lunches, 2 dinners and 2 breakfasts.*

* *(60 points)*

Task 72) And you’ll need to handle money.

*Using the menu you have designed for task 71, draw up a budget for the food. Use catalogues and online shopping sites to give you estimated prices for all ingredients necessary. Don’t forget cookies and hot beverages!*

* *(60 points)*

Task 73) Now that you’ve spent the money and got the food, it’s time to test your skills.

*Cook a 3 course backwoods meal over an open fire (either in an altar fireplace or in a braai drum), document the process and list all ingredients and recipes.*

* *(75 points)*
* <http://www.shurdington.org/Downloads/BackwoodsCooking.pdf>

**\*\*Assignment 5) Your ability to interact of a social level with other operatives is vital for the success of your team. Here are some tasks to carry out to prove your abilities:

- <https://scoutwiki.scouts.org.za/index.php?title=World_Friendship_Scout_Interest_Badge>

*Task 74) With the help of an older family member, use a social network platform to find and meet another operative (scout) in a foreign country. Proceed to interact with them for at least a week (and then for the remainder of the month).*

* *(50 points)*

*Task 75) Know where the academy comes from; research the function and organisational structure of:*

*1) World Scout Organisation*

*2) World Scout Conference*

*- (50 points)*

*3) World Scout Committee*

*4) World Scout Bureau*

*5) Scout zones and regions*

*Task 76) Make a poster of any country of your choice that is south of the Zambesi. This poster should provide statistics about the country, interesting facts, history and maps that indicate its position on the African Continent as well as a map with landmarks within the country or largest city.*

* *(60 points)*

**Bonus 40 points if you complete Tasks 74, 75 and 76.**

\*\*Assignment 6) Covert - 19 is driving people crazy, disaster risk management is a vital skill set going forward to make sure we are able to flatten the curve.

**…… lets have a quick chat about flattening the curve. That Covert - 19 thing, it isn’t as dangerous as most people make it out to be. However, it is very contagious. Experts estimate around 20% of all cases are so severe that one would need to be checked into the hospital. Now I don’t know about you, but I don’t want to be that person. Personally, I’d prefer to stay on my surfboard all day, as I doubt it will find me out there.**

**Flattening the curve is achieved by practicing social distancing which helps reduce the rate at which Covert - 19 spreads. Imagine if everyone got sick at once, many people would then need to all go to the hospital at the same time. Remember that there are already other people there for chronic problems or other emergencies. All these people at the hospital at the same time will overwhelm the system and cause many, many more problems. It is best we practice caution and start to consider that by socially distancing ourselves, we are indirectly contributing to saving other people’s lives. I don’t know about you, but I feel like a hero.**

*Task 77) Part of disaster risk management requires our operatives to have a good understanding of many different things. Start off by creating a poster that can instruct someone on proper radio voice procedures.*

* *(40 points)*
* <https://www.jamaicaham.org/downloads/Radio%20Voice%20Procedure.pdf>

*Task 78) Next, make a video of you reciting the phonetic alphabet with a blindfold on or with your eyes closed.*

* *(35 points)*

*Task 79) There will be times that you will need to direct traffic when accidents have happened. Make a poster of the 10 standard traffic hand signals and explain when they are to be used.*

* *(45 points)*
* <https://www.affordablecebu.com/top-10-traffic-hand-signals>

*\*Task 80) Bake a cake, because you deserve it.*

* *(30 points)*

*Task 81) Disaster may strike at any moment. It is important that you are always prepared so that you can look after yourself and your family. Make an inventory checklist for the following things:*

* *Emergency Cupboard (20 points)*
* *****Emergency Rations that lasts 2 weeks (20 points)*
* *Emergency Water Supply that lasts 2 weeks (10 points)*
* *Emergency Electricity options (15 points)*
* *Emergency Fire kit (15 points)*
* *Evacuation protocol with map of your property (20 points)*

**Bonus 50 points if you complete Tasks 77, 78, 79. 80 and 81**

Task 82) Before I forget, there are a few more conservation skills you need to know that will enable you to really make a difference.

*List the major organisations / institutions in South Africa that are concerned with conservation and explain what they do to assist conservation efforts.*

* *(30 points)*

Task 83) It is important to know if you’re in a nature reserve or not. It would be awkward if you were caught trespassing on private land.

*Draw a map of South Africa. Colour in and label the major nature reserves.*

* *(30 points)*

Task 84) The legalities could end up getting complicated.

*Make a poster of the conservation laws in South Africa.*

* *(30 points)*

Task 85) Water is a vital part of all everything on our planet’s existence.

*Conduct research on how a purification plant works. Report your findings on an A4 poster.*

* *(30 points)*

Task 86) Remember, water is important, but so are plants.

*Draw a diagram explaining photosynthesis.*

* *(20 points)*

\*Task 87) Keep your brain active.

*Complete a jigsaw puzzle of no less than 500 pieces.*

* *(20 points)*

\*Task 88) Again, keep your brain active.

*Make an A2 poster of the cutest Duzzler and Arthur images on the internet. (Cellotape A4 sheets together to make a larger page if needed.)*

* *(20 points)*

\*Task 89) The art of deception may come in useful.

*Study the art of ventriloquism and record a 20 second long joke using your new skill!*

* *(40 points)*

\*Task 90) Attention to detail can work in your advantage in the field.

*Let out your inner gourmet chef and prepare the most aesthetically pleasing meal from random ingredients around the house.*

* *(35 points) + 3 bonus points if there is a cherry on top*

**\*Task 91) We expect our operatives to be charitable. As we head into the colder part of the year, maybe people on the streets could do with something to protect them.

*Spring clean your wardrobe (or help your parents spring clean) and collect pieces of clothing to donate to a charitable service of choice. Blankets will also be acceptable,*

* *(3 points per item, max 10 items)*

\*Task 92) A top operative believes that they are *le beautiful*.

*Spend some time in front of the mirror and draw a self-portrait.*

* *(20 points)*

\*Task 93) The academy wants to know that you are able to learn thing from visual stimulus.

*Learn a new skill (of your choice) from You Tube. Make a video showing off your new skill.*

* *(25 points)*

\*\*Assignment 7) The last skill set the academy expects you to be able to excel in, no pressure.

*Task 94) Write a paragraph on why it is important to correctly dispose of latex gloves.*

* *(10 points)*

*Task 95) Record yourself using old material from around your home to demonstrate (on a patient) how to control bleeding, and then clean and dress the wound.*

* *(25 points)*

*Task 96) Explain in one paragraph why we should always clean wounds, as well the risks involved of being exposed to someone else’s blood (HIV and Hepatitis B)*

* *(25 points)*

**Bonus 20 points if you complete Tasks 94, 95 and 96.**

\*Task 97) Operatives need to have a good memory.

*Lean a monologue of your choice and then record yourself reciting it blindfolded. The monologue should be no less than 100 words long.*

* *(30 points)*

\*Task 98) Operatives are expected to be grateful for the opportunity to be present. It is far more than what some could even dream of.

*Reflect on all the things you are grateful for in life. Write them down on a page. Take time to engage with each point and then write down why you are grateful for those things.*

* *(30 points)*

\*Task 99) Operatives need to be able to look ahead in their lives and establish SMART goals.

*List some goals you hope to achieve in your scouting career. These goals should be specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and timely.*

* *(30 points)*

\*Task 100) All operatives should aspire to be great leaders, and great leaders are able to inspire greatness in others.

*Get two friends to also attempt Operation Covid-19. Each friend will need to email in their own separate work. You will get 50 points for each friend. You will also get their final score divided by two, up to a maximum of 500 points.*

* *(50 points per friend with a potential bonus of 1000 points Max)*

**There it is!!!! You’re done!!! 100 activities, 3660 points with an addition potential 1340 bonus points. I believe that you will be the one to achieve 5000 points. Or at least come super close.**

**All the things you will have learnt will make you an amazing candidate for the academy. Operation Covert - 19 will be lucky to have you on their team but as you know, only 1 of you can be the one who gets to represent your nation in their fight to glory!**

**Remember, you have until 17:00 (5pm) on Monday the 13th April to get as many points as possible. If you have any questions don’t mind emailing me, Arthur, at the address in Sir RKD message.**

**When you do mail me, also place your name in the subject bar as well as which number you are contacting me about. Check below:**

**Email:** [**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**](mailto:operationcovert19@gmail.com)

**Subject: (Name) Task# (whatever the task number is)**

**Then add an attachment of a word doc or a photo or a video.**

**If you can’t email the videos, feel free to whatsapp it to me. Just send a message stating your name and the task number as well!**

**Good luck my friend and remember, I’m always here to help you!**

**Wait UUP! Cheeeeeeeeers kid, have a swell time and remember, Safety FIRST! Ciaaaao**